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DIGEST

Cheek (SB 780)

Present law requires the court to provide written notification to any person convicted of a sex offense and a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor of the registration requirements and the notification requirements as provided in present law.

Proposed law maintains present law and adds that the court shall notify the person convicted of a sex offense and criminal offense against a victim who is a minor that certain types of employment is prohibited for the duration of registration.

Present law provides for the duration of registration and notification period for sex offenders.

Present law provides that a person required to register pursuant to law who was convicted of a sexual offense against a victim who is a minor shall register and maintain his registration and provide community notification for a period of 25 years, or the duration of the lifetime of the offender as provided by law, unless the conviction is reversed, set aside, or vacated.

Proposed law prohibits certain sex offenders from maintaining certain types of employment.

Proposed law provides that it shall be unlawful for any person who is required to maintain registration pursuant to law to operate any bus, taxicab, or limousine for hire. Further prohibits any person who is required to maintain registration to engage in employment as a service worker who goes into a residence to provide any type of service.

Proposed law provides that it will be unlawful for any person whose offense involved a minor child and who is required to maintain registration pursuant to law to operate any carnival or amusement ride.

Proposed law provides for definitions.

Proposed law provides for penalties if a sex offender who is required to register pursuant to law engages in certain types of employment; proposed law further provides that the provisions of this law will only apply to offenses occurring on or after August 15, 2010.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 15:543.1; adds R.S. 15:553)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to the original bill.

1. Prohibits any person whose offense involved a minor child and who is required to maintain registration pursuant to law to operate any carnival or amusement ride.
2. Deletes the proposed duration of registration and notification period.
3. Provides for application of certain offenses occurring on or after 8/15/10.